

Instructions for Petition Gatherers

1. The petition can only be signed by registered voters residing in the City of El Paso.
2. Have each person fill out all columns as best they can. A voter is identified by Name, Address and Birth Date. It is less work for us if people will fill out everything accurately if they can.
 - **Signature:** *Everyone must sign. Please. We had pages thrown out last time for lack of signatures.*
 - **Last/First Name:** The same as on the Voter's card. Some people use a nickname but have a legal name on documents. For example, I am "James Tolbert" on my voter card and "Jim" to friends. "James" is the name that needs to go on the petition.
 - **Street Address:** Critical for identification of voter. The address is the address shown on their current voter id card. If they moved recently and aren't sure whether they have updated their card and don't have it with them, we can add the address on the voter registration rolls for them later.
 - **Phone Number:** Necessary in case of questions.
 - **Zip Code:** Critical. Must match that on voter id card. Again, if not sure, we can add it later.
 - **Birth Date:** Critical. Some people don't like giving birth dates. We can add those later.
 - **VUID Number:** This is the number on the voter id card. Most will not have their cards with them. We will add these later.
 - **Date Signed:** Please be sure this is filled out.
3. Please have each page of signatures that you gather notarized by a Notary in and for the State of Texas. If you can't get a page notarized, turn it in anyway. I will get it notarized. Again, if you can get it notarized, it will just save time. Thanks.
4. Please return signed and notarized forms to Jim Tolbert, 2701 Frankfort Ave., El Paso, TX 79930 on or before April 8, 2011. If mailing, please be sure that they will reach him on or before April 8, 2011. You may call him at 915-525-7364 or email jimhtolbert@elp.rr.com.
5. Some people will recognize the petition as one that they signed before. Since we failed to get enough valid signatures, we are doing the same petition again. We cannot use the old petitions so people have to sign again. Thank them for their time.
6. Some people may wonder if signing the petition will affect widening Transmountain Road. Transmountain Rd can still be widened if the land is preserved. The legal description in the petition is for the land – not Transmountain Road.

Always be respectful of each person even those who may oppose what we are doing and who may rudely voice their opposition.